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## AMENDMENT E

TO THE COMMISSIONER FOR PATENTS,

SIR:

In response to the Office action mailed September 2, 2005, please enter the following amendments and consider the following remarks.

Amendments to the Claims are reflected in the listing of claims which begins on page 2 of this paper.

Remarks begin on page 28 of this paper.

Conclusion begins on page 35 of this paper.